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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application are the following enclosures:

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement in the Office Action dated October 31, 2006, Applicant hereby elects Species A (Claims 1, 3-9, 13-16 and 20). This election is made without traverse. If the Examiner has any questions which may be answered by telephone, he is invited to call the undersigned directly.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: 11/20/2005By: E. M. Nelson

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